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Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, Applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the action dated March 13, 2002, be extended for three months to and including September 13, 2002.

Enclosed is a check for \$460 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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